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St. George

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UATFACS FALL NEWSLETTER

FALL 2012

PRESIDENT MESSAGE Tami Flygare

This is a little story about four people named Everybody, Somebody, Anybody, and Nobody. There was an important job to be done and Everybody was sure that Somebody would do it. Anybody could have done it, but Nobody did it. Somebody got angry about that because it was Everybody's job. Everybody thought that Anybody could do it, but Nobody realized that Everybody wouldn't do it. It ended up that Everybody blamed Somebody when Nobody did what Anybody could have done.

This is a condensed version of Charles Osgood's - A Poem About

Responsibility. Every semester I use this poem in my keyboarding classes (yes, I teach keyboarding too!) to teach proofreading, but I also use it to teach my FACS classes about responsibility and getting involved. As a shy and quiet new teacher, I taught in rural Emery County for 4 years and wished I could have been more involved. How I wish I had access to a FACS listserv like we do now! But all of the conferences, Listserv suggestions, UEN lesson plans, etc. would not be possible without the dedication, time, effort and support of teachers like you. Even if you think you have

nothing to give or to share, you do! I am always taking ideas from other teachers and adapting them to fit my student's needs. Then, I share those ideas with others so they can change them to fit their needs as well. I have met some of my best friends while serving on boards and committees, as well as at conferences and on CTE and FCCLA trips. It may take some extra time every week or month, put the payoff is priceless. I encourage all of you to take the opportunity to get involved in some way and to step outside vour comfort zone. I'm sure glad I did!



Tami graduated from BYU in 1997 in Home Economics Education. During my 16 years of teaching, I have worked for Emery, Davis and Jordan School Districts in both rural and suburban schools teaching students in both Junior and Senior High schools and taught 13 different FACS courses. I have been involved with FCCLA for 8 of those years, having had 3 state A Little About Tami Flygare officers and 1 national officer candidate. I represented Area 5 on the State FCCLA board for 4 years and was awarded Advisor of the Year in 2004. While at Bountiful High School, my FCCLA students won a number of state awards and national recognitions in Financial Literacy and Community Service, among others, while also earning Master Advisor status. I currently teach at Fort Herriman Middle School in Jordan School District, which I helped open in 2005. In the past few years, I earned my Masters Degree in Teaching, National Board Certification, was recognized by the Utah State House of Representatives and State Senate, and was awarded the Jordan CTE Middle School Teacher of the Year. I have attended many state and national conferences in Professional Learning Communities, Middle School Education, FCCLA and CTE. I have served on a number of various committees and I am currently serving as President on the UAT-FACS board and at FHMS I serve as the CTE Department Head, CTE Introduction PLC and team leader and on the School Leadership team. I am also endorsed in Keyboarding education and have worked in the past with alternative students teaching Work-Based Learning. I have also mentored numerous new teachers, student teachers, National Board candidates and new FCCLA advisors and I have presented at a number of FCCLA and FACS state and national conferences

FACS Teacher of the Year 2012

Suzanne Gillett

Orem High School, Orem, UT



"The mediocre

teacher tells. The

good teacher

explains. The

superior teacher

demonstrates. The

great teacher

inspires."

--William Arthur

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New FACS Teacher of the Year 2012

Marianne Pallas

American Fork High School, American Fork, UT



More Award Recipients

Jared

Ferguson

Provo School District, Provo, UT

Carl Perkins

Lindsey Shirley

Utah State University, Logan, UT

Outstanding CTE Educator

Susan Smith

Grantsville High School, Grantsville, UT

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A Different Perspective

If a doctor, lawyer, or dentist had 40 people in his office at one time, all of whom had different needs, and some of whom didn't want to be there and were causing trouble, and the doctor, lawyer, or dentist, without assistance, had to treat them all with professional excellence for nine months, then he might have some conception of the classroom teacher's job. ~Donald D. Quinn

Teaching
creates all
other
professions.
~Author
Unknown

Holiday
Syrup that
will Spice Up
Your Fall.

APPLE CIDER SYRUP

1/2 cup white sugar

- 1 tablespoon cornstarch
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1 cup apple cider
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- 2 tablespoons butter

Stir together the sugar, cornstarch, and cinnamon in a saucepan. Stir in the apple cider and lemon juice. Cook over medium heat until mixture begins to boil; boil un-



More Award Recipients

Shauna Young

Jordan High School, Sandy, UT

Outstanding Teacher in Community Service

Tom Wiltbank

Vista Heights Middle School, Saratoga Springs, UT

Career

Guidance

Terry Daines

The Cotton Shop

Award of Merit

What's new with the Listserv File

The FACS Listserv File Cabinet is now housed at UEN. You will still be able to use the link at the Utah FACS website Listserv File Cabinet.



When you click on the individual subjects you will find that each subject is very well organized. Each subject is organized by:

- Course Standards
- Individual Standards with lesson plans
- Scope and Sequences
- Assessments

Below is the link take a few minutes and check out this great resource.

UEN FACS Listserv File Cabinet Link: http://www.uen.org/cte/facs cabinet/

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It's Not To Late To Join UATFACS!!

Below is the link to get started. http://uacte.org/

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